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Pearline "ads."
Even if you use it already, you'll find
hints here and there that will greatly
help you. And there isn't a man,
woman, or child but can be helped
by Pearline.

All these advertisements are
meant for the good of Pearline,
of course—to show you the best
and easiest and cheapest way of
washing and cleaning, and to lead you to use it. But if they
do, they will have helped you far more than they will have
helped Pearline. You have more at stake. All the money
you could bring to Pearline, by using it, wouldn't be a drop
in the bucket to the money you'd save by it.

Peddlers and some unscrupulous grocers will tell you "this is as good as"
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and if your grocer sends you something in place of Pearline, be
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that is built of sorry, half-seasoned timber, that twists, shrinks and
warps like raw leather in the sun. Makes no difference whether you
are going to spend \$500 or \$5,000 on a house, you ought to select
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long run, and always the safest and most satisfactory. Let us furnish
figures when you get ready to build, and show you our stock.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Lumber, Coal and Building Materials
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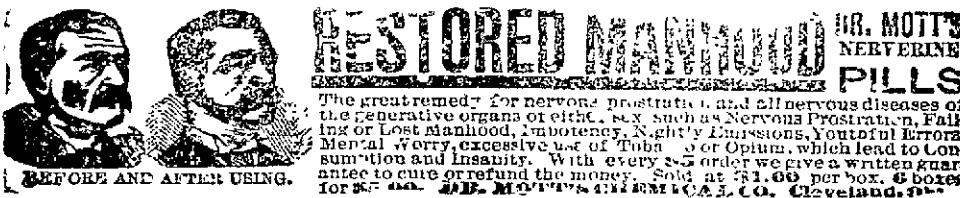
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"DIRT DEFIES THE KING." THEN

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IS GREATER THAN ROYALTY ITSELF.

The Tailor Makes WOLF
the MAN.
SO HE DOES.
But He Must Be a Tailor.
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&
KLOHS.



Sold only by W. O. OLNEY, Middletown.

Closing Out of Crockery and Glass.

We offer this week great bargains in Dinner and Toilet Sets. Will
close them out at cost. Come and get prices and do not lose some good
bargains. Piano and Banquet Lamps at great bargains. A few nice
ones left.

J. B. SWALM, 12 East Main St.

The
First National
Bank.

Interest Accounts.

Money left with the First National Bank of
Middletown, on certificates of deposit for three
months, will draw interest at the rate of
three (3) per cent, per annum.
By order Board of Directors,
SHAYMOUR E. WITT Cashier

will soon pay for itself.

The MAJESTIC is the most perfect
baker and water heater. It is not
only economical, but the most con-
venient to operate, and on account
of the material used in its construc-
tion, it never needs repairs. Can you
afford to use another stove? The
MAJESTIC STEEL RANGE will pay
for itself in two years with the fuel
and food it saves. GEO. A. SWALM
& SON offer the MAJESTIC at a
special price during their cooking
exhibit.

Biscuit baked in 4 minutes and
drip coffee served free to all.
Come.

G. A. SWALM & SON.

THE DOCKASH LINE

"UP TO DATE"

PARLOR STOVES AND RANGES
is the best working and most durable goods made. Over one thousand
two hundred sold in this city and vicinity. Beware of imitations. The
genuine and only Dockash sold by

BRINK & CLARK, 28 North and 7 King Sts.,
MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.

GEN. HORATIO C. KING.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR THE
OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE

CIVIL AND MILITARY CAREER

He Has Distinguished Himself Both as a
Lawyer and a Soldier—His Early Life
Passed in Washington.

The present year is what is popularly
called an "off year" in politics, and the
fact that a Governor is not to be balloted
for next month gives to Gen. Horatio C. King, the nominee for Secretary
of State, the honor of heading the Dem-
ocratic ticket. This office is of no small
importance, for under recent changes in
legislation, especially as affecting corpora-
tions, many new duties have been
added to it.

Among the predecessors of Mr. Palmer,
the present incumbent of the office, have
been Frederick Cook, Allen C. Beach,
John Bigelow, Homer A. Nelson, Gen.
T. A. Barlow, Chauncey M. Depew,
Samuel Young, and Gen. John A. Dix.

Gen. Horatio Collins King was born in
Portland in December, 1837. At that
time his father, Horatio King, afterward
Postmaster General under Buchanan,
was editing The Jeffersonian, a strong
Jacksonian Democratic paper. On the election of Jackson Mr. King was
offered a position in the Post Office De-
partment at Washington by Amos Kendall,
then Postmaster General, in recogni-
tion of his services. He determined
to accept, and in 1839, when young Horatio
was only 18 months old, he moved
with his family to Washington. As a
result of this change of residence Gen.
King's earliest recollections are of the
busy military and political life of the
National Capital. Among the first events
which he recalls, and which may have
tended to shape his natural desire for a
military life, was the recruiting and de-
parture of the soldiers from Washington
to the Mexican war. Another event
which still remains firmly fixed in his
memory is the burning of the National
Theatre and its subsequent hasty re-
building for the performance of Jenny
Lind in 1849. Always an ardent lover
of music, the keen disappointment which
he felt when not allowed to attend the
concert still lingers in his mind.

His early youth was passed like that
of other boys, except that his father's
official position gave him the opportunity
of meeting many distinguished men.
Among them were the members of the
famous Senate of 1850-54, which included
Webster, Clay, Calhoun, Benton, and
Douglass. Of his meeting with Zachary
Taylor, Gen. King says: "As was the
custom then, after the inauguration, the
President held a levee at the White
House, the crowd passing simply through
the main entrance to the grounds in the
rear. A change in the political com-
plexion of the administration had brought
an immense crowd to Washington. The
crowd at the reception was so great that
women and even men fainted. I was a
little shaver, but little and active, and
worned myself through the forest of legs until I stood in front of the veteran
President and hero of the Mexican war,
who placed his hand on my head and said,
'Well done, my brave boy, always
push on in the world!'"

In 1851 young King was sent to Emory
and Henry College in Southwestern
Virginia, of which his uncle, the Rev.
Dr. Collins, was President. The journey,
which can now be made in day from
Washington, then took five, and boats
railroads, and stages had to be used.
Gen. King describes his life there as being
"turned out to grass." The Virginia
and Tennessee Railroad, now known as
the Norfolk and Western, had just been
projected, and as the line ran through
his uncle's farm, he spent much of his
time guiding a mule dump cart. Here
he says, he learned the accomplishment
of riding a mule barba k. The aver-
age reader may not look on this as an
accomplishment, but when one learns
that, as the mule has no shoulders to
speak of, it is necessary to lock the feet
around the mule's neck and hold on to
his ears if there is any tendency to
elevation from the rear, it may be con-
sidered as an art.

About eight years ago Gen. King was invited to visit Emory and Henry College and deliver the address to the graduating class. In 1854 he followed his uncle, who had been appointed President of Dickinson College, to that institution, and there matriculated. Here
his real work for an education began,
and in 1858 Gen. King was graduated
with the degree of A. M., well up in the
first half of one of the largest classes
that ever left Dickinson. His tastes led
him to study law, and on his return to Washington he entered the office of
Edwin M. Stanton, where as a student
he was associated with Chauncey F.
Black, the son of President Buchanan's
Attorney General. At this time he joined
the National Rifles, then the crack company
of Washington, and with them performed
his first military service as a sharpshooter, stationed on the house-tops along Pennsylvania Avenue, the
line of march of the inaugural procession
of President Lincoln.

In 1861 the young law student fell in
love and became engaged to the daughter
of Mr. Russell Stebbins, a prominent
New York merchant. This attachment
led him to New York, where he entered
the office of Van Winkle, Candler & Jay
now Candler & Jay, on Wall street. When Sumter was fired on the dormant
longing for military life awoke and Mr.
King was anxious to enter the Seventh
Regiment. His father, trusting to Sec-
retary Seward, who assured him that
the war would be over in sixty days,
dissuaded him.

But the sixty days passed, and the war
showing no signs of ending, the young
aspirant for military honors sought an
appointment as Adjutant in a battalion
of light infantry which Col. Poole, an
ex-officer of the Prussian army who had
given up his position as professor at
Union College, was organizing. An ap-
plication to the Governor of the State
was referred to the War Department at
Washington. There it was found that
an Adjutant could not be attached to
any organization less than a regiment.

As this position was the only one pos-
sible in the battalion, the future General
applied to headquarters for anything to
do. There he was introduced to Major
Gen. Silas Casey, a veteran of the
Mexican war, who was in want of a
Staff Quartermaster. A letter from
Casey with the endorsement of Secre-
tary Stanton procured the appointment,
and in less than an hour he was sworn
in. In less than a leave of absence, the
Quartermaster returned to New York

newly appointed Captain and Assistant
and purchased his horse and uniform.

At this time troops were pouring into
Washington in response to the call of
President Lincoln for 175,000 men. The
twenty-five-year-old Captain was soon
busy in helping to equip this vast army
of men and in keeping a sort of school
of instruction for new and inexperienced
Quartermasters. While busy in this
work Gen. King first met Benjamin F.
Tracy, then a Colonel of volunteers. This
was the beginning of a lifelong
friendship.

Soon after he was transferred to the
staff of Major Gen. Meintzelman, who
commanded the Middle Military Department
and remained with his successor,
Major Gen. Augur. On the appointment of
Gen. De Russy to the command of the
defenses south of the Potomac, he was
appointed to his staff. These duties,
important as they were, involving the
handling of millions of dollars, could
not satisfy so active a soldier as Gen.
King proved himself to be, and he ap-
plied in person to Secretary Stanton to
be transferred to more active duties.

As a result of this application he was
ordered to report to Gen. Sheridan, then
commanding the Army of the Shenan-
doah. Here he was assigned to the staff
of Gen. Wesley Merritt, with the rank of
Major. In February, 1865, a reorganization
made Gen. Merritt corps commander
and Gen. Thomas C. Devin became
Major King's superior officer. At this time
occurred the celebrated James River
raid, in which he took an active part
and in the course of which occurred a
scene of which Gen. King recently said:

"I shall never forget our crossing the
pontoon bridge at Deep Bottom, which
was opened to permit the passage of
the dispatch boat Nelly Martin, at the
window of whose pilot house we saw the
worn and anxious face of President Lin-
coln.

At the battle of Five Forks the young
Major played an important part in bringing
up the reserve brigade in time to
repel the fierce charge of the Confed-
erate forces under Pickett and Johnson.
For his brave work at this time Gen.
Devin in recommending him for the
brevet of Colonel, said: "During the
battles at Five Forks and those subse-
quent, Major King volunteered his services
as my personal aide and rendered
gallant and distinguished service."

This brevet was afterward granted.
After taking part in the campaign
which ended in the surrender of Lee the
rejoicing for which was soon turned
to mourning for the death of Lincoln.
Major King, after participating in the
final review at Washington, handed in
his resignation and turned again to pri-
vate life. In granting this application
Gen. Devin took occasion to speak highly
of his work as follows:

"In his new career he will carry with
him not only the heartiest wishes for
his success from all with whom he has
been associated but also the consciousness
of having so performed his mission of
arduous, and often hazardous duties as
never to have given cause for a single
complaint during his connection with
this division."

A believer in heredity as influencing
the choice of occupation could find much
to support his theory in the case of Gen.
King. He comes of a line of soldiers in
the Revolution and the war of 1812, and
since his return to New York he has
been much engaged in newspaper work,
as was his father. In 1869 he became
associate editor of The New York Star,
which position he filled for two years.
Then he became manager of J. B. Ford
& Co., who published The Christian
Union when Beecher was its editor, and
later he was publisher of The Christian
at Work under the editorship of the Rev.
T. De Witt Talmage. At the personal
solicitation of Mr. Beecher, however, he
returned to The Christian Union as pub-
lisher. Mr. King's chief work, however,
has been in the practice of law, first in
New York, with Gen. Tracy, and later
with Broadhead, King & Voorhees.
About five years ago he removed his
practice to Brooklyn.

It is hard to conceive how a man with
all the various cares and duties of official
and business life can find time to do
much more than become acquainted
with his family, but Gen. King is more
a family man than anything, and he
takes more pride in his six charming
daughters than in the honors which have
been showered on him. In 1862 Mr. King
was married to Miss Stebbins of New
York, who died in Washington in 1864,
leaving an infant daughter who survived
her but a few months. His second wife
was the daughter of John T. Howard of Brooklyn.
Of his six daughters, the youngest of whom is fourteen,
have been married some time—Mrs.
Perry R. Gray and Mrs. S. S. Norton.
Another, Clara, was married Thursday
to Mr. Cleveland Litchfield of Brooklyn.
Gen. King's home, at 46 Willow street,
Brooklyn, where he has lived for eight
or nine years, is marked by more of
comfort than of pretense. The most
characteristic room is the study, where
much of his time is spent. It is small
and plainly furnished, but the tastes of
its owner are shown by the bookcases
and pictures which line the wall. If so
busy a man can be said to have a hobby,
he has two—books and music. A library
of 2,000 volumes, especially rich records
and history of the war, gives evidence
of the former, and the many musical
compositions which bear his name give
evidence of the latter.

Like Gen. Palmer, the present incum-
bent of the office of Secretary of State,
Gen. King has been very prominent in
such organizations as the Grand Army
and the Loyal Legion. Of the latter
he was a charter member of the New
York Commandery. For eighteen years
he has been Secretary of the Society of
the Army of the Potomac. As an attorney
upon military law, also, Gen.
King stands high. He was appointed by
Gov. Cleveland to the position of Judge
Advocate General, ranking as Brigadier
General, and in this position he was
continued by Gov. Hill until the expiration
of his term.

Gen. King is indeed a man of varied
accomplishments. As a member of the
Board of Education, as a lecturer, and
as a contributor to magazines, he has
been equally successful. In all his public
career he has never but once been
an unsuccessful applicant for office.
Gen. King is a member of the Benevolent
and Protective Order of Elks, and is
a Scottish Rite thirty-third degree
Mason.—New York Times.

As to Spoiled Ballots.
The law allows five minutes, no more,
to prepare a ballot in the booth. A
spoiled ballot must be returned to the
ballot clerk, who will issue a new one.
A voter is entitled to four trials, but
the guard rail can be passed only once
for voting purposes.

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The modern Pain Annihilator, will positively
cure Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Bruises,
Cuts, Sores, Earache, Backache and all other
aches. SALVATION OIL is sold everywhere for
25 cents. Only the genuine will do the work.

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BEFORE AND AFTER.

People never look as well when they come into our store as they do AFTER Purchasing one
of our Hats and JACKETS. We make it and so do others. The same is true of all our other
merchandise, a few of which we may mention. MARY FLOR, Fur and Cloth Capes, Miss
Silk and Cloth Waists, Separate Skirts and Feather Boas at prices within the reach of all.

M. KATZINGER, COR. NORTH AND W. MAIN STS.

P. S.—We have the best 89c Flarelette Wrappers, the kind that sell for \$1.00.

School Shoes for Boys and Girls
IN GREAT VARIETY,
That Will Give Good Wear at
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Judging from the Smiling Faces of the Ladies

who attended our Millinery Opening last week. All seemed pleased
and we are pleased with them, as our effort has brought fruit. We
employ six first-class milliners (no back numbers or cheap help), but
all up to date milliners, and can safely guarantee all our work, and
above all, honest dealings, which has made us from infancy up to our
present volume of business, and still advance day by day.

Ladies' Cloaks from \$2.45 Up to \$25.

Capes in cloth, plush and fur. Children's coats and
capes from the baby up at

OUR HANDSOME STORE

L. STERN, 13-15 North Street.

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DEALER IN
Foreign and Domestic Wines,
Liquors and Cigars.

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PLAN.

THE ASSEMBLY ROOMS FOR BALLS AND



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It's the Hence I due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectively cleaning the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver, and Bowels, without weakening them and it is perfectly free from very objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all drug-gists in 50 cent bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

CASINO THEATRE TO-NIGHT.

AMERICA'S
FAVORITE
AGNESHERNDON
in the King Pin of Modern
Comedies,

"CAPTAIN KATE!"

Saturday Night,
Revival of Her Famous Play,

"LaBELLE MARIE!"

AS

Played by Her Up-
wards of 3,000
Times.

CASINO THEATRE.

Mr Lea respectfully announces to the theatre going public that he has rented the theatre for 6 nights and a matinee, and that he will give 6 popular plays and a

Ladies' and Children's Saturday Matinees at popular prices, viz:

10, 20, 30 35 CTS.

NO DEAD HEAD TICKETS given away unless value is received for the same.

REMEMBER ONE SOLID WEEK COMMENCING

Monday, Oct. 28th.

Ellinwood and His Merry Players,

A number of fifteen well-known performers, including

BABY BLOSSOM,
the cleverest child actress on the American stage. The plays which will be produced will be given in the following order:

Monday—"The Fugitive."

Tuesday—"My Kentucky Home."

Wednesday—"The Two Orphans."

Thursday, Friday and Saturday's bill will be announced later.

Grand Saturday Matinee

at 2:30 p.m., for ladies and children.

Popular Prices 10, 20, 30, 35 cts.

Presents will be given away at every performance. The name of the articles given each night will be and will be given later.

Chart will be open at Duseberry's for the sale of reserved seats on Thursday, at 9 a.m.

A POPULAR FALLACY.

THE IDEA THAT THE OLD SOUTH WAS NOT PROGRESSIVE.

Correspondent Parke Writes of the Prosperous Days Before the War—Random Observations at the Atlanta Exposition. Condition of the Colored Brother.

At this stage of progress it seems to me best to merely name the most novel features in each department of the Atlanta exposition without attempting any detailed description. In the Agricultural building are represented every product of one soil south of Mason and Dixon's line and many from other sections. Here one may study the progress of sugar from the cane to the sugar bowl, of silk from the worm and leaf to the reel and loom, and of cotton from the boll to sheet and shirt. Of agricultural implements the display is rather of those which ought to be used than of those which are. I see no specimens of the clumsy hoes hammered out of old mill saws, the rope lines and the collars made of husks and old clothes which are still common in the south. Arkansas has the best state exhibit in this building. In the Machinery building Ohio appears to be a little ahead at present, though I have as yet found nothing entirely new.

Here, as at Chicago, Manufactures and Liberal Arts was meant to be the department of greatest popular interest, and Italy seems to have the greatest dis-

play does most to make a people great. In addition to the many political leagues they had the Sons of Reuben, Wrestling Jacobs, United Brethren of Friendship and burial societies, beyond counting. Almost every colored laborer is now a member of one of the latter, contributing a few cents each week as an insurance in his own case for they have a healthful habit of a paper burial and a delight in what they call a "fifth funeral."

In Pensacola says the agent representing that place, they have a society for every important function of social life, a union for almost every kind of work, lodges and chapters for all the charities and many religious and educational clubs. At one time the colored roundabouts there had the what? and transhipment work entirely in their own hands and made their labor worth \$3 or \$4 per day to each during the busy season. The lower unit of organization was the squad, the number of men who could conveniently work one vessel under one boss. The bosses were organized in divisions, and at the head of all was a committee to regulate hours and wages. Each laborer had his ticket to show his squad and division, and it was only as a substitute for a member that an outsider could see work at all. The strength of this organization was partially broken at one time, but I am told that colored laborers are everywhere struggling to combine.

At this point I digress long enough to give a whack to that erroneous idea so common in the north that the south

ALL THE ELLINWOOD PLAYERS.

At the Casino All Next Week.

Mr. George Lea will present to every twentieth person buying a reserved seat at Duseberry's, to-morrow and Monday, one silver dollar.

Ladies are admitted free, on Monday night. Find out the conditions.

MT. SALEM, N. J.

Donation—Rev. Mr. Gilmore's Last sermon—Personal Mention.

Correspondence Arouse and MERCURY.

The friends and congregation of Rev. A. O. Gilmore will give him a donation at Mr. Easor Brink's, in Mt. Salem, Tuesday evening, Oct. 29th. If stormy next fair evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

—Services Sunday morning as usual at 11 o'clock, subject: "Mending Nets," Matt. iv:21. Sunday evening Mr. Gilmore will preach his last sermon as "pastor of the Mt. Salem Baptist Church, and he wishes his congregation and friends to be present.

—Rev. A. O. Gilmore will sell his horse and carriage cheap, as he has no further need for it.

—Mrs. Chauncey Carpenter has returned from New York, where she has been spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. William Wehner.

—Lewis Van Fleet has gone to the city to seek employment.

—Farmers are busy husking their corn.

—Mrs. Sidney J. Westfall, of Auburn, N. Y., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Catherine, of this place.

—If many nuts are a sign of a hard winter the coming one will be very severe, as hickory nuts were never known to be more plentiful.

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MOUNT HOPE.

Removed to Port Jervis—Returned to his Home—Change in Time of Prayer Meeting.

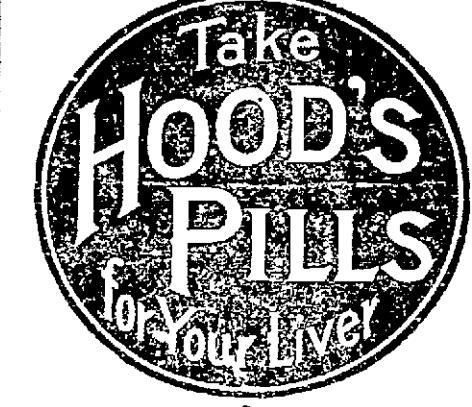
Correspondence Arouse and MERCURY.

—Mr. Terry Ketcham has taken a position on the railroad and moved to Port Jervis.

—Mr. Darwin Lamson is improving nicely and hopes to be able to be out soon.

—Mr. Hugh Quigley, who spent several months with his nephew, Robert Quigley, and other friends, has returned to his home in Cleveland, O.

—On account of the reception, Tuesday evening, and the children's visit to the parsonage, Wednesday, prayer meeting will be held on Thursday evening, next week.



THE PRESIDENT COMING TO MIDDELTOWN.

The Sick May Receive Medical Services Free of Charge.

The President and members of the European and American Staff of German, English, Irish, Scandinavian and American Doctors of New York city will be at the Russell House, Middletown, on

Tuesday, October 29th.

one day only. The sick and afflicted may consult them without charge during their stay.

If you are incurable they will tell you; therefore invalids must not take offence if they are rejected, as no case will be accepted unless there is a moral certainty of a cure being effected. These Doctors are graduates of the best universities of Europe and America; they are of the highest standing in the medical profession and have had unlimited experience in the treatment of all Chronic Diseases and Deformities. As the latest methods, instruments and appliances of the various schools of both the Old and the New World are familiar to and at the command of this staff of doctors, it is reasonable to believe that in ninety cases out of every hundred a cure can be effected, even when the patients have been given up as incurable by doctors who have had less experience. Do not be discouraged because your doctor cannot give you relief, or even if he tells you that you cannot get well, for it matters not what your disease may be, you can consult the doctors free, and, if curable, they will treat you; if incurable, they will give you such advice as will tend to prolong life and afford you the greatest relief.

The doctor visits Middletown one day each month. Will be at 21 Broom street, Port Jervis, Wednesday, Oct. 30th. Office hours from 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Nothing so distressing as hacking cough. None so foolish as to suffer from it. Nothing so dangerous as to allow it to continue. One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief W. D. Olney.

Don't let the Baby Die

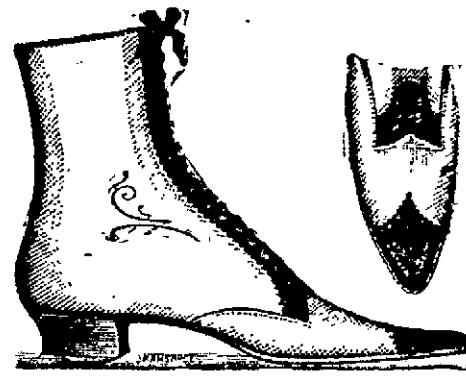
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from want of nourishment. Thousands of them succumb from this cause daily. No fault of the parents either, simply they are unable to find food that can be retained by the poor, weak stomachs, and then that continual decrease in weight, that pinched and forlorn look on the little face with the inevitable end. Try while there is yet life and be rewarded with happy success, as thousands have done before you, that greatest of food products

Bovinine

It is a concentration in the least possible bulk of the life-maintaining elements of lean, raw beef, prepared by a special cold process. A few drops added to babies' milk will make rich, new blood, create flesh and bone, and give the necessary strength to the vital organs to start them on their long life's work. Cholera, infant and bowel troubles are prevented by its use. Over 2500 physicians endorse it.

THE LADY WHO WEARS SHOES

 wants, first of all, shoes to wear well. Likes to look at them when they are off, perhaps, but she buys them to wear. Our line in all styles of toes, laced or button, at \$2 and \$2.50, need not disappoint daily.

C. D. HANFORD'S, 43 North St.

NOT EVERY DAY

Do things like these dress goods come our way. We haven't made our bow to the dress goods buyers of this city, but with our knack of getting hold of the right things, at such little prices, you will say we should.

Chameleons, 22 inch, latest changeable effects, 10c a yd., a bargain at 15 ct.; American Woolenette, 30 ir. wide, neat patterns, 12½c a yd., usually 15c; Mohair Brocades at 12½c, half-wool Cashmeres 12½c, better quality 19c, always 25c. A new thing for interlining is Fibre Fabric, 72 inches wide, tan, brown, slate and black, at 19c a yd instead of 35c.

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\$50,000, in sums of \$250 and upward, on improved city property.
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One of the best Farms in Orange county, about 200 acres.
House and Lot on Roberts street, Desirable location.
Other desirable properties for sale and to let.

Tuesday, October 29th.

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Diamonds, Watches, Silverware and Optical Goods.

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Repairing of All Kinds

ALL WORK GUARANTEED.

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that we would like you to see. No charge for showing goods here. We have added to our stock a neat line of Gents' Furnishings. All the latest style Hats and Neckties; would like you to see them also. Give us a call.

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One Price to All. No. 34 North street.

Your money back if you want it.

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GENTS' FURNISHINGS.



A COLORED DUDE.

and needlework, the display of the last named being wonderfully varied and complete, a great credit to the colored women.

I have asked the colored leaders many questions about their progress in industrial organizations and find the whole matter in a singularly chaotic state, but all agree that in Pensacola their people have done rather the best in that line. In every part of the south soon after the war the freedmen seemed moved by a common impulse to join in leagues and societies of every sort, and out of the many hundreds projected perhaps a dozen have proved permanent. From one standpoint it was laughable, from another most encouraging, for it is the development of the organizing faculty

Did You Ever

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have Loss of Appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or the Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health is guaranteed by its use. Large bottles only fifty cents at McMenagle & Rogers Drug Store.

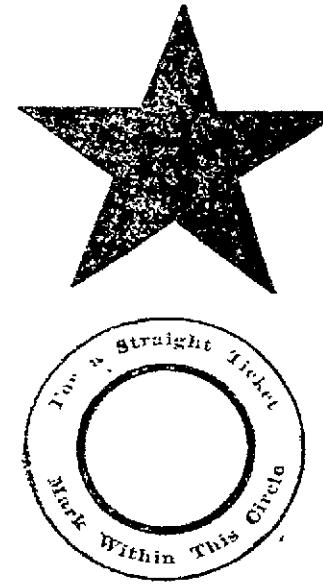
Nothing so distressing as hacking cough. None so foolish as to suffer from it. Nothing so dangerous as to allow it to continue. One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief W. D. Olney.

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FRIDAY, OCT. 25, 1895.



DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

For Secretary of State, HORATIO C. KING of Kings county.
For Comptroller, JOHN B. JUDSON, of Fulton county.
For Treasurer, DEWITT C. DOW, of Schenectady county.
For Attorney-General, NOELTON CHASE, of Albany county.
For Engineer and Surveyor, RUSSELL R. STUART of Onondaga county.
For Judge of the Court of Appeals, JOHN D. TELLER, of Cayuga county.

SENATORIAL.

For Senator, GEORGE DICKETT, of Rockland.

JUDICIARY.

For Justices of the Supreme Court, MARTIN J. KEOUGH, of Westchester county; JOSEPH T. MARAN, of Kings county; JAMES W. COVETT, of Queens county.

ASSEMBLY.

For Member of Assembly—First District, HENRY GARNER, of Albany.
For Member of Assembly—Second District, WILLIAM H. SHAW, of Wallkill.

COUNTY.

For Surrogate, WILLIAM H. CRANE, of Deerpark.
For District Attorney, DWIGHT W. Y. McCROSKEY, of Newburgh.

For County Treasurer, PHILIP A. POWER, of Goshen.

For Special Surrogate, LEWIS J. STAGE, of Warwick.

For Superintendent of Poor, J. HUDSON BOARD, of Chester.

For Coroners, FRANK FLYNN, of Goshen; NICHOLAS PFLAUM, of Deerpark.

Two to one was cast, yesterday, in New York, on the Tammany local ticket.

Here are some more figures of interest to taxpayers, for they show what the 3 1/2 tax rate has done to increase the taxes on a few well known properties in this city:

	State Tax	Local Tax	Total Tax
Frank M. Stratton	\$5,54	\$5,31	\$10,85
Mrs. L. S. Bruchon	\$0,65	\$2,37	\$3,02
Geo. A. Swain	24,14	\$3,37	\$27,51
Henry R. Corwin	14,02	\$9,32	\$23,34
J. W. Stout	16,34	\$2,60	\$18,94

Boodle was distributed to the county chairmen at Republican headquarters in New York, yesterday, and the sinews of war being now in hand renewed activity may be expected in the Republican campaign. The "nay-say" statesmen, after receiving the swag, were closely guarded till they had left the city to prevent them falling into the hands of bungo steerers.

THE ELLINWOOD PLAYERS

At the Casino till Next Week.

Mr. George Lea will present to every twentieth person buying a reserved seat at Dusenberry's, to-morrow and Monday, one silver dollar. Ladies are admitted free, Monday night. Find out the conditions.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT
JAS. P. TIGHE, Commissioner Broker, Stern Building, 15 North street, Middletown, N.Y.
Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold at same or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25 '95.

Yesterday To-day
Increase.

	Yesterday	To-day	Increase.
Frank M. Stratton	25,54	25,31	\$1,23
Mrs. L. S. Bruchon	30,65	42,37	\$11,72
Geo. A. Swain	24,14	33,37	\$9,23
Henry R. Corwin	14,02	19,32	\$5,30
J. W. Stout	16,34	22,60	\$6,26

Say, why don't you try DeWitt's Little Early Risers? These little pills cure headache, indigestion and constipation. They're small, but do the work.

Smooth White Hands result from using Orange Flower Balm. 25 cents. McMonagle & Rogers.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

IS IT A MURDER?

Mysterious Disappearance of a Livingston Manor Woman.

HER HUSBAND ARRESTED

Vain Search for the Missing Woman or for Evidence of Crime—A Crony of the Husband Also Suspected—Following UP New Clues This Afternoon.

Special to the DAILY ARGUS.

LIVINGSTON MANOR, Oct. 25.—There is great excitement here over the disappearance of the wife of Milton Ward, and it is believed she has been murdered.

She has been missing for several days, and the statements made by her husband concerning her whereabouts were thought so contradictory and evasive that suspicions were aroused and, this morning, he was arrested on suspicion of having made way with her.

An officer, accompanied by a posse of citizens visited Ward's house, this morning, and made a search for the body of the missing woman, or for some evidence that would lead to the discovering of her whereabouts, if living, or the place of concealment of her body if she had been foully dealt with. The search was unsuccessful.

A crony of Ward's, who bears an unenviable reputation, is suspected of being an accessory to the murder of the woman but he has not been arrested.

A party is engaged, this afternoon, in making further search for the missing woman. They are following new clues and working on entirely different lines from which they did this morning.

SECOND DISPATCH.

Special to the DAILY ARGUS.

LIVINGSTON MANOR, Oct. 25, 3 42 p.m.—No little excitement was created in this village, last night, by a rumor to the effect that the wife of Milton Ward had been murdered and her body secreted by a well known desperado named Riley Carl.

Ward came into the village and said that his house had been robbed, everything of value and \$18 in cash having been taken, and that he had hunted the country around about to find some trace of his wife, but without success.

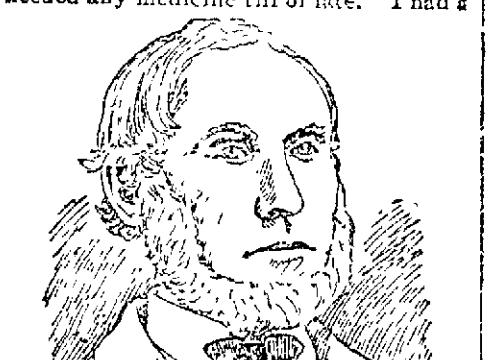
It appears that when he went home from his work, last Monday night, he found his house upside down and thinking that Carl had dealt with his wife in a foul manner made a search on his own account.

After his story was made known in the village it took but a short time for a number of the representative men of the town to organize a searching party, who shortly afterwards went in quest of the supposed murderer.

Carl is so well known as a thoroughly bad villain, who has spent several terms heretofore in State prison and is so generally feared that indignation at the presumed crime ran high, and Justice McGrath authorized a search to be made for him, which was sanctioned in short order.

I Am a Pioneer

In the western part of this state and never needed any medicine till of late. I had a



had attack of the grippe, and was quite weak and fell badly afterward. I commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and have been very greatly benefited. My wife also found it of great value after an attack of typhoid pneumonia." AVIN W. OLNEY, Hamlet, New York.

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Is the only True Blood Purifier prominently in the public eye. \$1 six for \$1.

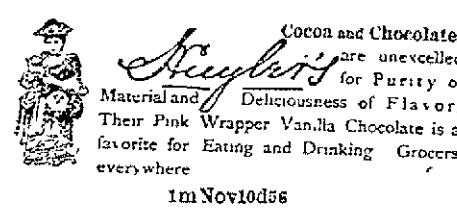
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Material and Delicacy of Flavor.
Their Pink Wrapper Vanilla Chocolate is a favorite for Eating and Drinking Grocers everywhere.

Im Nov 1895

by public sentiment many joining with the officers and undoubtably Cav would have suffered the penalty of the tail end of a rope had he been found.

However he has not been found nor have the missing woman's whereabouts been located. During the night certain suspicions were aroused that Ward himself had disposed of his wife and he was arrested.

Judge McGrath and a number of citizens visited his house, to-day, but were unable to find any incriminating evidence and Ward was released. So many conflicting stories are afloat at present that it is impossible to place any confidence in them.

It is certain, however, that the woman is missing, and there are many reasons for fearing she has been the victim of foul play. The authorities are alert and will continue the investigation until the mystery is solved.

THE ENSIGN.

EDENVILLE.

Correspondence Argus and MERCURY.

—A new road was laid out by Commissioner Lovett, on Friday. This is to connect the main road leading from Amity with one that has been built a short time by Mrs. Guion, and is a direct route to Warwick. It looks like simple nonsense for at least two hundred of the towns inhabitants to travel a mile and a half every time they go to and from Warwick. And in order to complete the round trip they must go three miles out of their way.

—T. A. Shaw, representing the Argus and MERCURY, called on your correspondent at this place, one day last week.

—Messrs. Campbell & Wilson are painting their new barn and making other needed repairs.

—Mr. John Simpson is buying the farmers winter apples. He is paying 90 cents per barrel for them.

—James McCann is seriously ill with typhoid fever. A Miss Decker, living near by, is said to be suffering from the same disease. Dr. Seeley is attending them.

—Mr. F. H. Campbell has exchanged his farm near Amity, known as the Taylor place, with William Green for his farm at this place. This makes three farms that he expects to have worked as one. They are in one block.

MARRIED.

HARDENBERG — BULL — At the Second Presbyterian Church, this city, Oct. 24th '95, by Rev. Chas. Beadle, Daniel B. Hardenbergh, M. D., and Anna M. Bull, daughter of Albert Bull, both of Middletown.

DIED.

HULSE — In this city, Oct. 24th '95, Milton G. Hulse, aged thirty-one years, nine months, fourteen days.

Funeral Sunday afternoon from the residence of his mother, Mrs. James B. Hulse, corner Wickham and Highland avenues, at four o'clock. Interment in family plot, Hillside Cemetery.

F. O. ROCKAFELLOW & BRO., Undertakers and Embalmers, 99 North street. Lady assistant, Telephone No. 3.

K. NAPP & MERRITT, Undertakers and Embalmers, corner West Main and James Sts. Lady assistant, Telephone Nos. 10 and 22.

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We carry all sizes and qualities. We offer some special values, which we will not be able to duplicate. 60 dozen ladies' ribbed vests and pants at 25¢, 30 dozen at 35¢, 30 dozen at 50¢, 35 dozen gents' white shirts and drawers at 25¢. See us for dress goods and cloths.

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Ready-Made Clothing!

Suits, Overcoats and P. ntaloons for men, youths, boys and children. Special drives this week. HATS, HATS, CAPS, CAPS. We are selling large quantities of them this season. Gents' Furnishings in endless variety.

Merchant Tailoring Department

We had to put on more help last week. Business is booming in this department. Why? Because we carry the stock and the prices right for good work. All are invited to call on

JOHN E. ADAMS,

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WE ARE SELLING ALL KINDS OF DOMESTIC GOODS AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Table Linen at 38¢, worth 50¢; Sheetings at 20¢, worth 25¢; Muslin at 7¢, worth 9¢; Cottons at 65¢, worth 88¢; Blankets at \$1.75, worth \$2.25; Bed Comfortables at \$1.50, worth \$2 are only a few of the many reasons buyers should buy now.

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To-day's Paper.

We have advertised closing out sales before, but never anything like this one. 100 numbers—a large share of them the best goods in our warerooms—to be closed out from 25 to 75 cents on the dollar. Come early, come often to attend this great sale. Respectfully,

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Middletown, N. Y.

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McMonagle & Rogers, Drug-gists

THAT LANA OIL SOAP

which we are selling is such a grand success that we'll mention it again. It's the best value in soap we've ever seen. Lana Oil is the fat from sheep's wool, purified, and its healing qualities are well known. Lana Oil Soap is perfectly neutral (that makes it non-irritating), finely plucked and handsomely wrapped. Prize 10¢ a cake—25¢ a box. How it has knocked out the old high priced kinds

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THE ARGUS.

OPEN EVENINGS.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 25.—

westerly winds; warmer in southern portion, Saturday morning.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry or thermometer at Prout's drug store, to-day:

7 a.m., 40°; 12 m., 61°; 3 p.m., 61°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

Oct. 25—Informal dance and card party by Ladies' Auxiliary of Thrall Hospital, at Assembly Rooms.

Oct. 25—"Tom Thumb Wedding," at First Presbyterian Church, by req. Mrs. F. S. Wilson & Son's Company of Farmers at Casino.

Oct. 28-Nov. 2—Ellinwood Players, at Casino.

Oct. 29—Annual fall exhibition to New York, via N. Y. O. and W. Railroad.

Nov. 1—Recital at Assembly Rooms, by Miss Jean Stuart Brown, concert Thrall Hospital.

Nov. 13, 14, 15—Ornamental exhibit and fair at First Presbyterian Church.

Nov. 21-24—Separate Co. ball, at Assembly.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Bargains at Dayton's new store.

Two-cent pants, 25 cents gloves 25 cents at Dayton's, fells 25 cents.

Footwear—novelty by E. H. Gregory.

"Captain Kidd," at the Casino, to-night.

"Tom Thumb Wedding," at First Presbyterian Church.

Bargains in ladies' jackets, capes and cloaks at Geo. K. Adams & Co.'s

Universal service, at Nearing Hall, at 11 a.m. Sunday.

Six-line beds for sale by C. H. Worcester.

Pleasant new wraps to meet up at the New York store.

Linoleum is a good floor covering. Sold by the yard, 25¢ a yard.

Great slugs—cloaks and jackets at Walter & Deere's.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

Tom Thumb wedding, to-night.

No service will be held at Grace Church, this evening.

Seats for Ellinwood, next week, for sale now at Dusenberry's.

A special meeting of Moehagen Hose Co., will be held at 8 o'clock this evening to take action on the death of Milton G. Hulse.

Don't fail to attend the informal dance given by the Ladies' Auxiliary of Thrall Hospital, at the Assembly Rooms this evening.

Mr. John Sayer, the John street liveryman, has just purchased a handsome team of black coach horses from Mr. S. H. Courier, of Pompton, N. J.

Attend the Tom Thumb wedding matinee at First Presbyterian Church, to-morrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

Tom Thumb wedding, to-night, at First Presbyterian Church. Ice cream will be served. Matinee, to-morrow, at 2 o'clock, for children.

The Ellinwood players are doing an immense business at Lee's Opera House in Port Jervis, this week. We hope Mr. Lea will receive the same patronage, next week, at the Casino.

PERSONAL.

J. E. Wood, of Middletown, visited at J. F. Smith's this week.—*Hancock Herald*.

Mrs. C. E. Knickerbocker, of Norwich, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. A. Wilkison, on Highland avenue.

Rev. Dr. Wilson went to New York, to day, to meet his son, who has been abroad for the past five years.

Mrs. L. C. Dillaye, of Syracuse, who has been visiting at the residence of Mr. F. O. Tompkins, on Highland avenue, returned home on train 1, to-day.

Mr. Carl Iseman entertained his friends of the Manufacturer Germania at his residence on Franklin street, last evening. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

R. V. W. E. Wright reports that Hon. N. W. Vail is much improved in health and spirits since he removed to Freshfield, N. J., and made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Wright.

Fred B. Wood, of Prospect avenue, who has recently secured a position as conductor on the Metropolitan Traction Company's Lexington avenue line in New York, returned to work this morning, after a few days' illness.

Mr. Al. G. Nutting, of Danbury, Conn., is in town, to-day, looking over the ground with the view of opening a dancing school. Mr. Nutting has had great success in his line in Connecticut.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lammersdorf, of Ouray, Utah, are visiting at the residence of Mrs. J. P. Koch on Cottage street. Mrs. Lammersdorf is a sister of the late J. P. Koch. Mr. Lammersdorf is a wealthy mine owner and is President of the Sevier Mining Co. This is his first visit to Middletown in thirty-five years, and it is needless to say there is little of the Middletown of thirty-five years ago that he is able to recognize, to-day.

Successful Deer Hunters.

A dispatch from Mr. Jacob Gunther, says that the deer hunters in Pike county, Pa., have killed two deer and will be home Saturday.

Do not daily with rheumatism. Get rid of it at once by purifying the blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Be sure to get Hood's.

Smooth White Hands result from using Orange Flower Balm. 25 cents

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3—Teething, Colic, Crying, Wakefulness.
4—Diarrhea, of Children or Adults.
5—Colic, Colic, Brightness.
6—Rheumatism, Tendonitis, Pains.
7—Headache, Sore Throat, Vertigo.
8—Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Constipation.
9—Squinted or Painful Periods.
10—Widens, Too Protruding Periods.
11—Croup, Laryngitis, Boursiness.
12—Salt Rheuma, Erysipelas, Eruptions.
13—Rheumatism, or Rheumatic Pains.
14—Rheumatism, Child, Fever and Ague.
15—Cough, Inflammation, Cold in the Head.
16—Whooping Cough.
17—Kidney Diseases.
18—Nervous Debility.
19—Urinary Weakness.
20—Sore Throat, Quinsy, Diphtheria.

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Sold by Druggists at a reasonable price, and may be sent to any part of the country. It is a safe and reliable Remedy. Price \$1.00 per box. Send to J. C. Deegan & Co., 107 & 112 William St., New York.

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GARDNER & M'WILLIAMS.

TEN SHOTS A SECOND.

MARVELOUS WORK OF CAPTAIN OD-
KOLCK'S MACHINE GUN.

It is claimed that this weapon has been
fired at the rate of six hundred shots
a minute for the space of three hours
without heating.

It is easy to say that the new Hotchkiss
machine gun will fire ten shots a second, or 600 a minute, provided it is
furnished with the necessary ammunition,
but it is not easy to comprehend
what that means. It is easy to understand,
however, that the introduction of such a weapon into modern warfare
means nothing less than a revolution in
figuring, and there are those who claim
that this gun and other improved killing
machines are like to do away with war
altogether, since men cannot be
found to enlist as soldiers and stand up
against such terrible weapons. It is
perfectly clear that one man armed with
one of the new guns could sweep everything
before him within the arc of a
half circle by simply keeping the
machine in operation and swinging around
from side to side. The execution would
be terrible, and it is hard to see anything
wrong in the statement that one such man
would be equal to at least 100
armed with the old guns.

Unlike most other machine guns, this
new weapon has but one barrel, and all
the bullets pass through it and all the
explosions take place in the same pow-
der chamber. At first thought it would
seem impossible to operate such a gun
without causing the chamber and barrel
to heat in a very short time to such a
degree as to render further firing impos-

sible, but this trouble has been over-
come by an ingenious yet extremely
simple arrangement, the essential features
of which are that the barrel is per-
manently fixed in the breach and that
none of the moving parts is subjected to
the heat developed by the power gas.

In France the gun has been fired
rapidly for three hours, during which
time 100,000 cartridges were discharged,
without any inconvenience because of
expanded parts.

The total weight of a gun that will
fire 30 caliber cartridges is 20 pounds. It
can be mounted on any type of naval
or military carriage or on a tripod like
that shown in the cut for use by cavalry.
It can also be attached to a ship's
rail or mounted in the tops of armored
masts. One man can handle it readily,
but the services of another would be
required to supply ammunition. Thus
much as 600 shots a minute means
36,000 an hour, the cartridge passer
would naturally be kept reasonably
busy during any extended time of con-
tinuous rapid firing. The mechanism of
the piece is extremely simple. Exclusive
of the sights, but including barrel,
shoulder piece, etc., there are only 28
separate parts and only four springs—the
main spring, the sear spring, the ext-
ractor and the pawl spring. All the
parts are made to fit together without
the use of screws, and no tools are necessary
to completely dismount or to as-
semble the gun excepting a small
monkey wrench.

The most novel element of the gun is
its automatic feature. Beneath and par-
allel to the barrel is a cylinder, which
is the largest part of the mechanism.
Communication between the barrel and the
cylinder is established through a
small port or hole through the lower
side of the barrel. At the rear end of
the cylinder is an exhaust port opening
to the air. When the gun is fired, as the
bullet passes the forward port, the gas
of the exploded powder passes from the
barrel into the cylinder and quickly
forces a long piston of small diameter
toward the rear with extreme rapidity
and force. As the piston rushes back
ward it comes in contact with mechan-
ism which throws out the empty shell,
places a new one in the bore and dis-
charges it, all with the most incredible
rapidity. Of course this operation is re-
peated when the second shot is fired and so
on indefinitely, as long as ammu-
nition is furnished. When it is desired to
begin firing, the gunner pulls the trig-
ger. If he desires to fire but one shot,
he releases it instantly, but if he de-
sires to fire rapidly he simply holds the
trigger back, and the automatic mech-
anism above described goes at work. Re-
leasing the trigger throws out of position
the rear spring, so that the piston, after its impetuous backward rush,
remains at the back of the cylinder.
In order to insure rapid firing the cartridges
are packed into metallic clips, each contain-
ing 30 rounds. These clips are car-
ried in pasteboard boxes from which
they can be fed regularly through the
gun, and when placed in position are
moved forward automatically by me-
chanism connected with the piston. It is
possible to fire as much slower than 600
times a minute as may be desired, and it is claimed by the Hotchkiss company
that as accurate aim may be taken for
single shots as with any ordinary gun.

This gun is not the invention of an
American, Captain Adolph Odkolek of
the Austrian cavalry having produced it
after long and careful experiments. It
should be said, however, that its present
form is the result of several im-
provements made by the Hotchkiss company
after that corporation purchased it
from Captain Odkolek. The new gun is
soon to be thoroughly tested by the
United States authorities along with
other machine guns at Indian Head.

THE ONWARD MARCH

of Consumption is stopped short by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. If you haven't waited beyond reason, there's complete recovery and cure.

Although by many believed to be incal-
culable, there is the evidence of hundreds
of living witnesses to the fact that, in all
its earlier stages, consumption is a curable
disease. Not every case, but a large per-
centage of cases, and we believe, fully 98
per cent, are cured by Dr. Pierce's Golden
Medical Discovery, even after the disease has progressed so
far as to induce repeated bleedings from the lungs, severe lingering cough with copious expectoration (including tubercular matter), great loss of flesh and extreme
emaciation and weakness.

Do you doubt that hundreds of such cases
are reported as cured by "Golden Med-
ical Discovery"? were genuine cases of that
dreadful malady? You need not take
our word for it. They have, in many
instances, been so pronounced by the best
and most experienced home physicians,
who have no interest whatever in mis-
representing them, and who were often
strongly prejudiced and advised against
a trial of "Golden Medical Discovery,"
but who have been forced to confess that it
surpasses in curative power over this
fact, and all other medicines with
which they are acquainted. Nasty cod-
liver oil and its filthy "quinine" and
mixtures, had been tried in nearly all the
cases and had either utterly failed to benefit,
or had only seemed to benefit a little for
a short time. Extract of malt, whisky,
various preparations of the hypophysis
had also been faithfully tried in vain.

The photographs of a large number of
those cured of consumption, bronchitis,
lingering coughs, asthma, chronic nasal
catarrh and kindred maladies, have been
skillfully reproduced in a book of 1000
pages, and may be had by you on receipt
of address and 25 cents postage. You
can then write those cured and learn
their experience. Address WORLD'S DISPE-
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Fifty tubs and firkins, also
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We are now getting in our
stock of fall and winter butter,
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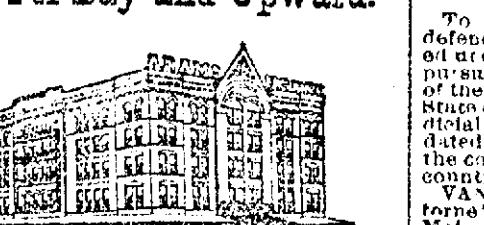
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Dr. Miles' Nervine strengthens
the weak, builds up the broken
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"About one year ago I was afflicted
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creeping sensations in my legs,
tight palpitation of my heart,
distressing confusion of the mind,
serious loss of taste or memory,
weighted down with care and
worry. I completely lost appetite
and felt my vitality ebbing out.
I was weak, irritable and tired.
My weight was reduced to 160 lbs.
In fact I was no good on earth.

A friend brought me Dr. Miles' book,
"New and Startling Facts," and
I finally decided to try a bottle of
Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine.
Before I had taken one bottle I could
sleep as well as a 10-year-old boy. My
appetite returned greatly increased.

When I had taken the sixth bottle
My weight increased to 176 lbs.
The sensation in my legs was gone;
My nerves steadied completely;
My memory was fully restored;
My brain seemed clearer than ever;
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If you feel sick, bad taste in the mouth,
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rect these at once by taking this medicine.

They are a positive cure for Malaria, Biliousness, Torpid Liver, Indigestion, Dyspepsia,
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and all diseases resulting from a dis-
ordered condition of the stomach and liver.

They do not reduce the system, but invigorate it.

Moffat's Pills are elegantly sugar coated
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KILLED ON THE ERIE.

A Woman Meets Death Near the Spot Where Her Husband Was Killed.

Mrs. John Harrington was struck and instantly killed by a west bound Erie train in Paterson, yesterday afternoon. She was engaged in picking coal and stepped from behind a car in front of an engine. Her little boy was standing within a few feet of her when the accident happened.

It is a singular coincidence that the woman's husband was killed in the same manner and within 100 yards of the spot, about two years ago.

TERRORIZES THE CHILDREN.

A Newburgh Woman Throws Pepper in a Child's Eyes.

Newburgh children are terrorized by a mysterious old woman who chases them in the streets and has thus far eluded the police. Wednesday, little Justine Weston met the old woman who struck her in the face and threw red pepper in her eyes. It is feared the child will lose her sight.

THE ELLINWOOD PLAYERS.

At the Casino All Next Week.

Mr. George Lea will present to every twentieth person buying a reserved seat Dusenberry's, to-morrow and Monday, one silver dollar.

Ladies are admitted free, on Monday night. Find out the conditions.

The Erie's New Time Table.

A new time table will go into effect on the Erie on Nov. 10th. Among the changes which it is believed will take place are the following: The amalgamation of trains 9 and 33; train 11 will arrive here about twenty-five minutes earlier, and train 5 about half an hour earlier; train 2, fifteen minutes earlier, and train 30 fifteen minutes earlier. It is also said; that train 7 will leave New York half an hour later than now.

They Waited Long and Might Have Been Waiting Still.

The motorman and conductor on one of the trolley cars were either so sleepy or so absent minded that when they reached the switch in front of the Wickham avenue depot, yesterday, they let a car pass without seeing it and waited there a full quarter of an hour. Finally a car came up behind them and informed them that the car they were waiting for was at the other end of the line.

Suicide in Honesdale.

Mr. Wilder VanSteenberg, a wealthy and prominent resident of Honesdale, committed suicide, Wednesday night, by shooting himself through the roof of the mouth. He was unmarried and resided with his parents. No motive for the act is known to his friends.

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NEW HAMPTON

Personal Items of Interest—Large Crop of Cider Apples.

Correspondence Angus and MERCURY
Everyone in this vicinity has his winter apples picked. There are not quite as many as last year, but there seems to be plenty of cider apples, as loads of them may be seen every day coming from every direction to the cider mills.

—Mrs. Sarah A. Goldsmith and grandson, Roy Due, spent Saturday at Chechuck.

—Several residents of this village have received invitations for a reception to be given by Miss Stella Tuthill, at Chester, Thursday evening, Oct. 31st.

—Mr. John J. Stage returned, last week, from a two weeks' visit to his brother, A. L. Stage, at St. John's, Mich.

—Mr. T. J. Brown spent Saturday and Sunday at Passaic, N. J.

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A Trolley Express Line.

The National Express Company has arranged with the Newburgh Electric Railway Company to carry its express matter between Newburgh and Walden. Heretofore all express matter carried between these points went by way of Kingston on the W. & St. Store and Wallkill Valley roads.

The Family Doctor.

PORT JERVIS, N. Y. Oct. 12, 1885. I have used Hoot's Sirupilla, and think it is a wonderful medicine. It is our family doctor, and we have used it for twelve years." Mrs. John Root, 220 East Main St.

Hoot's Pillar especially prepared to be taken with Hoot's Sarsaparilla.

Successful operations by surgeons are reported and published to the surgeon's credit, and it is also a benefit to the public to know of his skill. In this way Drs. Jones and Potter and their ability to cure rupture have become familiar to the public. Russell House, Thursday.

H-O
Oatmeal

PARISH RECEPTION.

Grace Church's Jubilee Ended Most Pleasantly.

The celebration of Grace Church's jubilee was concluded, last night, by a parish reception at the Assembly Rooms, which was very largely attended.

John L. Wiggins, Esq., read a historical sketch of the parish from the time of its organization, fifty years ago, which had been prepared by Mr. William G. Rogers, who was unavoidably absent.

Rector Evans read an amusing Burdette selection, after which Rev. Mr. Stillman talked to the assemblage. He spoke of the pleasant memories he retained of his ministry here and the pleasure it afforded him in being able to be present at the anniversary celebration.

His address was listened to with rapt attention.

Rev. Mr. Wright made a short address after which refreshments were served, and a short hour spent in social intercourse.

PAVING BRICK ARE HERE.

If Providence Don't Interfere East Main Street Will Soon Be Paved.

Five carloads of brick for the paving on East Main street arrived by the O. & W., last night. Enough brick were drawn on the street, this morning, to permit the laying of them to begin at 11 o'clock.

As large a force as possible will be put on this part of the work, and it is provided that it will interfere. Our Brothers expect to soon complete the job.

North Street Wins the Bowling Match.

Teams representing North street and James street bowled a match on Eagle's alleys, last night. North street won in two straight games with a score of 707 in the first and 710 in the second, to 646 and 688 for James street.

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Excelsior Lodge's Reception.

The reception and supper given by Excelsior Lodge, I. O. G. T. at its rooms in the Armstrong & Lyon block on East Main street, last night, was attended by a large and merry company. An excellent programme was rendered. A bone solo by Mr. Gregory was especially received and was encored twice.

Showing the Electric Road to Staten Island Officials.

Mr. E. G. Wightman, accompanied by the Highway Commissioners of the town of Southfield, Staten Island, were in town, yesterday, and made a tour of inspection of the road and plan of the Middletown-Goshen Traction Company.

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Fast Mail Service on the Erie.

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An Epidemic of Measles.

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MERITED REWARD.

SALES OF LYDIA E. PINKHAMS VEGETABLE COMPOUND.

Unequalled in the History of Medicine, Honesty, Excellence, Faithfulness Fifty Rewarded.

Especial to Our Lady Lazarus;

Never in the history of medicine has the demand for one particular remedy for female diseases equalled that attained by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and never in the history of

Mrs. Pinkham's wonderful Compound has the demand for it been so great as it is today.

From Maine to California, from the Gulf to the St. Lawrence, come the glad tidings of woman's suffering relieved by it; and thousands upon thousands of letters are pouring in from grateful women, saying that it will

Ailments of Women.

It will cure the worst forms of female complaints, all ovarian troubles, inflammation and ulceration, falling and displace- ments of the womb, and consequent spinal weakness, and is peculiarly adapted to the change of life.

Every time it will cure

Backache.

It has cured more cases of leucorrhœa by removing the cause, than any remedy the world has ever known; it is almost infallible in such cases. It dissolves and expels tumors from the uterus in an early stage of development, and checks any tendency to cancerous humors.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills

work in union with the Compound, and are a sure cure for constipation and sick-headache.

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Funeral of Wilmot Hawkins.

The funeral of Mr. J. Wilmot Hawkins took place at his late residence on Little avenue, at 1 o'clock, this afternoon, Rev. Dr. Charles Beattie conducting the services. The bearers were chosen from Lancelot Lodge No. 169, Knights of Pythias, of which the deceased was a member. They were: Messrs. George E. Gillen, Martin Van Fleet, A. P. L. Rufenbary, George Brink, Edward Hurtiz, John Corwin.

Funeral of Mrs. Miller.

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Miller was held at 2:30 o'clock, this afternoon, from St. Paul's M. E. Church. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Gordon. The bearers were: Messrs. J. N. Kellogg, Allen Ridgewar, J. E. Iseman, J. G. Harding, W. H. Foster, S. D. Hampson.

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